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TODAY'S WEATHER.

PORTLAND, Sept. 4.—Oregon, Idaho and Washington, fair.

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OUR SHELVES ARE FULL OF THEM

The neatest and best stocked store in the city tells its own story. The Styles and the Values are here. Also the crowds.



Our store closes at 6 p. m. every day except Saturday.

Choir boys rehearsal tonight.

Gaston sells feed, grain and hay.

The county court meets again today.

Bartlett pears, 15 cents per dozen.—JOHNSON BROS.

For Rent—Three rooms, furnished for housekeeping.

The big German steamer Elba has completed her cargo and will sail tomorrow.

Nice fresh California grapes 25 cents per basket.—JOHNSON BROS.

Go to the A. F. of L. employment office, Labor Hall, No. 523 Bond St., for good reliable help.

For Rent—An 8-room house on Eighth street, at \$8 per month. Inquire at Astor House.

A baseball match will be played at Clatskanie on Sunday between the local team and Warrenton.

You will find the best 15c meal in the city at the Rising Sun Restaurant, No. 612 Commercial street.

New stock of fancy goods just arrived at Yokohama Bazaar. Call and see the latest novelties from Japan.

Three of the sailors who deserted the German vessel Elba in Portland were brought down today and put on board again.

The name of Rev. J. L. Trumbull as vice-president of the Astoria Ministerial Association, was omitted from the report in yesterday's Astorian.

The Rev. Henry Marcotte is the new president of the Ministerial Alliance of Astoria and has the Rev. Harold Ober as secretary and treasurer, two hard workers.

Miss Olga Wintore is to change her Wintore name to Paavola. The license was taken out today by Sanford Paavola. Both belong in this county.

The K. P.s have delegated Herman Wise and George Noland to represent the Astoria lodge at Portland on October 5, on the occasion of the grand state convention.

Buffets to please the most fastidious, the latest creations splendidly planned and magnificently constructed, unexcelled for elegance. Your inspection invited. Chas. Heilborn & Son.

The Sue H. Elmore leaves at 7 this morning with a large cargo and a full passenger list. Mr. Lewis and a party of friends came down last night from Portland and went straight on board. They intend spending a few days at the sea beach at Garibaldi.

Iron beds are fast superseding the cumbersome wooden article because they are neater, more durable, sanitary and vermin proof. The latest productions have just been received by Chas. Heilborn & Son.

Rise bananas, 75 cents per dozen.—JOHNSON BROS.

C. G. Palmberg secured a contract for a \$1000 schoolhouse at Svensen.

The steamer William H. Harrison leaves for Alsea at 5 o'clock this morning.

The schooner G. W. Watson is expected to arrive shortly for a cargo of lumber.

Miss Anne Fatock, an English girl, took out her first citizenship papers yesterday. So did Nels, Tyberb, of Sweden.

Fifteen hundred parlor matches for 10 cents. They are cheap and ought to burn.—JOHNSON BROS.

Pile driver Lebeck has found the frying pan which was stolen from him last Sunday night. He found no bacon, but claims he has found a clue.

C. E. Blockford, the editor of the Clatskanie Chief, accompanied by his daughter, got in late last night and will spend a day or two here.

The four-masted schooner Olga from San Francisco came in and dropped anchor at 5:15 p. m. yesterday. She comes in ballast and will load lumber. Captain A. Mardwick is in command.

1000 handsome, up to date pictures and paintings offered at a low price for ONE WEEK ONLY. Here is a chance to decorate your homes for the fall.—Svensen's Book Store.

A small cavalcade of buggies and wagons was lined up at the depot early yesterday morning. They are to be distributed to purchasers in this district and are made at Grinnel, Ia.; others are on the way.

To the parties who took two high-barrel jack screws and three box screws from in front of Carl Hanson's residence on Eleventh street, will do me a favor by returning the same, as I need them.—J. K. Wirt.

Parties desiring to can damson pails should leave us their orders now, as this fruit will begin to arrive within the next few days, and the season for them is very short.—JOHNSON BROS.

The high-class vaudeville acts introduced by the Leonard Bros in their production of Uncle Tom's Cabin adds a novelty that will attract many who have previously witnessed this time-honored drama.

No article of furniture adds more to the appearance of the home than a handsome sideboard. From the lot just placed on display by Chas. Heilborn & Son you can secure a beauty for a very low figure.

For the Elks' carnival at Portland, the White Collar Line will sell round trip tickets September 3, 8, 9 and 10, for \$1.50, good returning until September 14. All intermediate landings are free for round trip. Steamer Baitley Gatzert leaving Astoria at 7 p. m.

It was supposed that last night would have launched forth a new union in town. Partly on account of the weather, partly from other causes, there were not sufficient present to organize. William Althouse, who has the matter in hand, informs us that by the end of the week the union will be an accomplished fact.

The work of trying and capping the piles for the new trestle for the A. & C. R. R. Co., reaching from the Washington cannery to Smiths Point, a distance of one mile, has just been completed without serious delay to traffic and is now ready for the stringers. The trestle being replaced was built for the trestle road 11 years ago and was no longer safe.

The Republican convention of Wahkiakum county resulted in the following nominations: J. G. Megler, representative; J. W. Paubion, auditor; Jesse Barker, treasurer; George F. Hannigan, clerk; M. S. Houghton, sheriff; Maul Kimball, school superintendent; Dr. C. W. Bales, coroner; John Canaris and Thad Barr, commissioners. The state delegates are: L. C. Burton, G. F. Hannigan, F. Smalley and C. F. Sullivan.

For the Elks' Carnival and Street Fair to be held at Portland from September 1st to 13th, inclusive, the A. & C. R. R. will make a rate of \$2 for the round trip between Astoria and Portland on the following dates: For the evening train of September 3d, morning train September 4th, evening train September 8th, all trains of September 9th, and morning train of September 10th. These tickets will be good to return until September 14th.

The new Taylor school building in West Astoria is enclosed and ready for the roof. When completed this edifice will be, from its size and location, one of the most imposing in the city. It is the first public building presenting itself to spectators coming up the river, and with the neat church alongside of it, makes a very favorable impression upon strangers.

Since the exciting days of the Spanish war there has not been a greater mobilization of troops, regular and volunteer, than will be seen at the Portland carnival on September 10. Permission has been given by the war department for the entire garrison at Vancouver to parade at Portland on that date. There will be in the two-mile line, 2000 men, 450 horses, 12 pieces of artillery and six military bands, including the Oregon National Guard.

Ladies of the W. C. T. U. held their election of officers yesterday with the following result: President, Mrs. A. H. Campbell; secretary, Mrs. Lienenweber; recording secretary, Mrs. Rutter; treasurer, Mrs. Wm. Ross; vice-president for Baptist church, Mrs. Trumbull; Methodist, Mrs. Gerding; Presbyterian, Mrs. Gearhart. On next Thursday afternoon the losing contestants will entertain the winners at the home of Mrs. Hanson.

J. A. Johnson, who is charged with threatening to kill August Greenbrock was to have had a hearing yesterday at 1 o'clock. On account of the man's peculiar actions and inconsistent wild statements it is believed that his mind is affected. In connection with the case there are other matters that would be aired on Monday. If a case of insanity is brought in that will settle the whole business. If he is found to be of sound mind the yellow journals will have a good field sensation.

Tomorrow morning the reserved seat sale opens at Griffin & Reed's for the performance of the Belasco-George Juvenile specialty Company at Fishers' opera house next Monday evening. The little tots come well recommended by press and public wherever they have appeared, and Astorians are sure of witnessing one of the most noted performances ever given in this city. The program last two and a half hours, ending with the laughable farce "Our Prospective Stepfather." Don't fail to hear the little band play in front of the opera house Monday at 7:30 p. m.

HATCHERY A SUCCESS.

While the salmon catch of the Columbia river showed an increase over last year of about 20 per cent, due, it is assumed, to the hatcheries established on the tributaries of that stream, the output of the Puget sound canneries, that have not yet the benefit of hatcheries, has fallen from 1,100,000 cases last year to about 400,000 cases this year. There is also a large falling off in the Fraser river and other Alaskan waters.

Yearly, evidence accumulates to prove the practical benefits of the hatcheries, and the government will do well to establish them on Alaska streams and tributaries of Puget sound, so as to keep up the supply of food fish in those waters, as well as in the Columbia. The northern salmon are not equal to the Columbia river chinook, but they are nevertheless a very valuable food fish which should not be allowed to become depleted, especially in view of the present and prospective high price of meats.

The government now distributes annually over 100,000,000 fry eggs, and nearly 800,000 fry and fingerlings, and its policy in this regard is bearing good fruit, as this season's record on the Columbia river shows.—Telegraph.

CHINESE INTERVIEWED.

Ah DOGG, a very intelligent Chinese contractor, returned to Astoria by the steamer Indravelli. He left here last Christmas on board the unfortunate ship Knight Companion and was on board when that vessel was wrecked 60 miles from Yokohama. The vessel had been 25 days out from Astoria and was heading in for port one afternoon at 4:15 p. m. in perfectly smooth water, when she steamed onto a sunken rock. On the chart the depth of that place is marked 40 fathoms. A sounding after the wreck showed but 22 feet and as the ship was drawing 23 feet, 6 inches, the rock simply tipped her up and broke her back. Officers immediately drew their guns and kept order among the badly scared Chinese, placing all the 38 passengers in the boat first, then the crew. Sawing up and down and expecting to slip to deep water and death any wave, the captain and one passenger stuck to the ship all night, being taken off in the morning. She was never got off, although the ship's books were saved.

This account of a back event was very clearly told by Mr. Ah Dogg in very fair English.

SUSPICIOUS CHARACTERS.

Two men giving their names as "Bones" and "Jim Thompson" were locked up yesterday afternoon. They managed to get away with a pair of long rubber boots from Hahn's shoe store. They were seen, however, by someone across the street, and Hahn got the boots back. Not content with escaping arrest the first time, they persevered and got another pair and disposed of them. Officers Thompson and Phillips finally got hold of them and gave them quarters. In their possession was found a long screwdriver

with a reddish-brown handle, for which they could explain no use. The police do not believe they have given their right names. "Thompson" is the man who is particularly suspected as a crook. They will get a chance of telling their troubles to the Justice today.

PERSONAL MENTION.

P. Fallock, of Chicago, is here. M. P. Callender, of Knappton, is in town.

Clyde W. Hayes returned from Portland last evening. G. W. Dunnington, of Indianapolis, is at the hotel.

W. W. Reed, wife and two children, of Seattle, are here.

C. J. Erix is over from his logging camp at Grays river.

Dr. August Kinney left for a trip to Portland yesterday.

W. M. Hamilton, of Tillamook, is a guest at the Parker.

Miss Clara A. Webb is at the hotel for a day or two.

Sheriff Laville wore the purple and white at Portland yesterday.

Captain Thomas Neil is rapidly recovering from his recent illness.

Mrs. E. W. Tallant has a little social function on her hands this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Witherspoon, of Green Ferry, Idaho, are visiting the coast.

Inspectors Edwards and Fuller arrived in the city yesterday on official business.

Theodore Freland, of the Postal Telegraph force left yesterday for an up river trip.

W. H. Alexander, F. Trahm, John E. Neelke and E. C. Stokes, all of Portland, came in yesterday.

Miss Lucinda Allen, of Portland, who has been visiting with Miss Alberta Cole, left for her home last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Anderson leave this morning on the steamer Sue H. Elmore for Nehalem, for the fall fishing.

Captain Haslam, of the Vanguard, is off to the mountains for 10 days. Captain W. S. Gordon will take his place.

A party of five arrived today to have a family reunion at Seaside: A. Miller and wife, of Ashland, Ore.; J. P. Miller, wife and two children, of Portland, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dickey, of Ashland, Ore.

LATE ARRIVALS.

H. A. Wall, Vancouver; G. W. Day, Bay City; C. O. Mawry, San Francisco; Frank Dana, Seattle; N. H. Weber, Eagle Cliff; S. A. Anderson, Nema; H. P. McGowan, McGowan, Wash. Henry Lang, J. B. Age, S. A. Anderson and F. Botchfahr, all of Portland.

THOSE TIMBER CLAIMS.

It is probable that some Astorians are going to have a little difficulty yet in establishing their claims. The rumors that something is wrong are becoming stronger. It is known that notices have been torn down and new ones substituted by persons unknown. Yesterday morning John Jeffries and Fred Johnson, milkmen, accompanied by Charles Wise, went over to watch their properties.

KOPP'S BREWERY SOLD.

The mysterious visitors who were variously reported as visiting Elks, lumber men, speculators, etc., were none other than the purchasers of the Kopp brewery, which passed into the hands of Emil Schimpf, Charles Robinson, Victor Koch and John Benore, all of Scranton, Pa., as principal stockholders of the North Pacific Brewing Company. Mr. Schimpf will be the active manager, although Mr. Kopp will still retain an interest.

ASTORIA ELKS WIN THIRD PRIZE

Mayor Williams, Generals Burke and Gantenbein, the committee of judges at the Portland Elks' carnival, awarded our local Elks the third prize for general make-up and marching in the parade. The boys certainly looked well, walked well, had a good band and richly deserved their prize. First or second would have been better, but considering the field and the spirited competition, Astoria may be very proud of the place her citizens took and we heartily congratulate them on the event.

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ST. NICHOLAS IN PORT

TWO DEATHS OCCUR ON THE HOME RUN.

Brings Large Passenger List and a Cargo of 26,500 Cases of Salmon.

The Columbia River Packers Association ship St. Nicholas got to anchor yesterday afternoon a little too late to be docked. She will be made fast on today's tide. The St. Nicholas left Nushagak river on the 18th of August, and brings down a long list of passengers in addition to her 26,500 cases of salmon. Shortly after getting out one Chinaman died and was buried at sea. Two days afterwards a sailor fisherman let go his hold and fell from the mizzen topgallant yard. Unfortunately he was not cut far enough to clear the ship and struck the poop rail heavily, breaking his back. After about two hours of the most intense agony he died. His name is E. Greenberg and he has left a wife and three children living in Uppertown. A metal casket was prepared and the body brought here for burial.

On hearing of the death the Knights of Pythias flag was lowered to half-mast, and that body of which deceased was a member, will look after his interment. Among the passengers are Superintendent W. J. Barry, Foreman John Gustafson, Machinist J. W. Green, Beach Boss Olof Peterson, 53 fisherman and a hundred Chinese. In addition to her cargo the association has 2500 cases more coming down by the schooner Antelope, making their Nushagak pack total 49,000.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.—George R. Whitehouse and wife to Mary J. Whitehouse, lot 11, block 25, Schiveley's; \$1. Frank Boura to Edith Gowan, block 10 3 and west half of lot 4, block 8, Gearhart Park; \$150. Annie Jensen and wife to O. Paulson, lots 24 and 25, block 107, Taylor's; \$1. Herbert C. Ingalls and wife to Walter J. Ingalls, 9.83 acres in section 12, township 7 north, range 16 west; \$300. United States to J. E. Logan, 155.86 acres in section 15, township 6 north, range 7 west; patent. Columbia Harbor Land Co. to W. A. Sanders, lots 5 and 6, block 4, Warrenton Park; \$1. W. H. Maher to S. S. Sigel, lot 13, block 7, Grimes Grove; \$135. I. Bergman and wife to Troy Laundry, lot 4, block 43, McClure's; \$4000. Sheriff to Charles Wright, northwest quarter of section 23, township 7 north, range 10 west; \$97.77.

MEMBERS OF MACEDONIAN COMMITTEE ARRESTED.

SOFIA, Sept. 4.—The police have arrested General Michalevsky and the members of the Macedonian committee and seals have been affixed to the residences of General Zankhoff, the president of the committee. It is believed that the dissolution of the committee is imminent.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals for furnishing material and piling and for driving and capping wharf at Portland, Oregon, will be received at the office of the American Can Company, 529 and 540 Worcester Block, Portland, until 1 o'clock p. m., September 10, 1902. Plans and specifications may be seen at the Portland or Astoria office of the company. No bid will be considered unless accompanied by certified check for 5 per cent of the amount of bid. The company reserves the right to reject any and all bids or waive any informality in any bid.

HATS TRIMMED FREE.

Mrs. R. Ingletton has just opened up a fine line of ladies' fall hats, walking skirts, over skirts, woolen shirt waists and under clothes, and all kinds of ladies' and children's furnishing goods. Hair switches and pompadours. A chance for the elegant \$300 piano with each 50c purchase. Welch Block, opposite Budget office.

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